

LRCA - Ontario Low Water Response Monthly Summary – January 2017

Current Declared Low Water Condition LRCA	Date Declared
Area of Jurisdiction	
None in effect	

MNR Low Water Level Indicators

Level I		Level II	Level III
Rain	< 80% of the monthly average	< 60% of the monthly average	< 40% of the monthly average
	of the lowest average	Spring: Monthly flow < 70% of the lowest average summer month flow	Spring: Monthly flow < 50% of the lowest average summer month flow
Streamflow	Other times: Monthly flow < 70% of the lowest average summer month flow	Other times: Monthly flow < 50% of the lowest average summer month flow	Other times: Monthly flow < 30% of the lowest average summer month flow

Precipitation Summary – January 2017

One Month Summary	One Month	Monthly Average	Percentage	OLWR Condition
January	Actual (mm)	(mm)		
	35.8	39.8	90	No Condition
3 Month Summary	Three Month	Three Month	Percentage	OLWR Condition
November, December,	Actual (mm)	Average (mm)		
January	228.5	137.7	166	No Condition
18 Month Summary	18 Month	18 Month Average	Percentage	OLWR Condition
August 2015 to	Actual (mm)	(mm)		
January 2017	1196.1	1089.9	110	No Condition

Note: Based on available gauge data at time of summary

Flow Summary – January 2017

Flow One Month Summary – Based on MNR Lowest Average Summer Flow	Percentage of Actual Flow compared to Lowest Average Summer Flow for area gauged streams	OLWR Condition
	220	No Condition
Flow One Month Summary – Based on Environment Canada Mean Monthly Discharge	Percentage of Actual Flow compared to Mean Monthly Flow for area gauged streams	OLWR Condition
	429	n/a

OPG Kaministiquia River Summary

Kam River Structure	In compliance with Water Management Plan	Status as of
Shebandowan Lake	yes	February 10, 2017
Kashabowie Lake	yes	February 10, 2017
Dog Lake	yes	February 10, 2017
Kakabeka Falls	yes	February 10, 2017

Lake Superior Summary – January 2017

	Metres
Latest Weekly Mean (06/02/2017)	183.40 IGLD
Water level (weekly mean) compared to 100 year flood level on Lake Superior	-0.81 ²
Compared to one year ago	-0.08

Source: http://www.isdm-gdsi.gc.ca/isdm-gdsi/twl-mne/wb-bh-eng.asp

Note: 100 Year Flood Level on Lake Superior in Thunder Bay is 183.9 masl geodetic

²Fisheries and Oceans Canada data reported in International Great Lakes Datum (IGLD); 0.31 metres

subtracted from IGLD data to hydraulically correct and convert to geodetic